

BOARD HEARS MAINTENANCE OF WAY DEMAND BITTER FIGHT ON NEW WAGE SCALE LOOMS

(By International News Service.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Prospects of a bitter fight with the strike of 400,000 maintenance of way men throwing their strength on the side of the shopmen, loomed today when the United States railway labor board opened its hearing on a wage increase asked by the men.

E. F. Grable, head of the maintenance of way men, startled the members of the board and representatives of the 105 roads by submitting the following as the demands of the maintenance of way men:

A new wage scale with a minimum of 48 cents an hour and "the sky as the limit" above that.

Recognition by the board of the

doctrine "living wage" to be designed and placed in an amendment to the transportation act.

SENIORITY UP

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Seniority and new organizations of railroad employees were thrust forward by the eastern roads today before the railroad labor board when the maintenance of way brotherhoods began hearings for increased wages. Seniority came to the front when John G. Walber, representing ten eastern roads, questioned the right of the brotherhoods representing employees on those roads. The union was given until tomorrow to reply.

FAMILIES ATTEND STRIKERS' MEET; ADDRESSES HEARD

The following official communication was issued today by H. C. Hutchinson, chairman of the press committee of the federated shop crafts:

The usual large Monday meeting of the Rail strikers was held this morning. Chairman Cherry told the ladies they had been admitted so that they could see "there are no bolshevik tendencies." Before the meeting closed Mr. Cherry said in case the women wished to attend other meetings arrangements would be made for them.

A brief account of the meeting, in which Rev. R. T. Kerr, Rev. Dr. W. D. Powell, and W. H. Wilson, Jake Rogers, Frisco R. R. Conductor of Tulsa, Okla., W. R. McCluskey and others made speeches is as follows: Prayer by Chaplain Toon, Irish Love song by Cy Graham, reading by Miss Blanche Cline, which was encoored with enthusiastic cheers. Publicity committee among other things read extracts from an official statement by "The Farmer's National Council" as follows in reference to the coal and rail strikes, "These strikes were inevitable to prevent miners and railway employees from being sacrificed to the greed of the same financial interests which have robbed farmers of \$20,000,000,000 during the last three years by hammering the prices farmers received for their products away down below the cost of production, and are now trying to crush labor organizations."

Both Reverend Kerr, and Doctor Powell, took shots at the easy going methods of President Harding. Dr. Powell created great merriment by saying that he prayed for Harding, but not for his election and that he did not vote for him although Mr. Harding was a Baptist. The description of Dr. Powell as a boy driving two big mules up "Coley's Hills," in Tennessee, as he gave it, was one of the greatest appeals to co-operation ever delivered locally. He said he never knew a team to balk ahead of its driver. W. H. Wilson, in his speech said "I am one of the 'drivers' so they say in this strike, and I'll promise you I will not balk."

Jake Rogers said that wherever he had been he found the men out 100 percent. W. R. McCluskey closed the meeting with a speech, which was cheered to the echo. Mr. Wilson, and the two ministers cautioned that all hands keep their tempers. The meeting closed with an earnest prayer by Dr. Powell.

(Signed) H. C. Hutchinson.

ALLEGED RED BARES WRECK PLOT IN THE RAILROAD WALKOUT

(By International News Service.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Ten men were under arrest today and one had made an amazing confession of death and destruction in the rail strike, according to Lieutenant Michael Grady, ace of the detective bureau.

A number of those under arrest were said to be "red" students of the Lenin-Trotsky reign of terror in Russia.

According to the police, four of the men who were first arrested, are implicated by the confession in wrecking of the "Million Dollar Express" of the Michigan-Central railroad at Gary, Ind., a week ago.

A plot of terrorists to bomb the shops and the sleeping quarters of the workers in the employ of the New York Central, in the yards at Elkhart, Ind., and the wrecking of the New York Central flier near this city was discovered following this confession.

The wrecking of the flier and the bombing of the railroad yards were perpetrated by these vandals and without the knowledge of minor officials in the railroad shop workers union, but was fathered by a ring of half dozen "red" fanatics who endeavored to spread the "red" doctrine among the workers.

The man who confessed is said to have given the name of Charles Husoils. He and the others were being held in the Gary police headquarters.

The arch conspirator, taken by detectives to the spot near Gary, pointed out the exact spot where spikes were drawn from a rail.

"Did you try to wreck a passenger train to kill passengers," he was asked.

"We didn't care," he declared in broken English. "Didn't make no difference, passenger or freight. We wanted to kill the firemen and engineer. If there were others, what the difference? What did we care?"

"We wanted the fireman and engineer. We wanted to make the rest of the train crews afraid to run trains. We wanted to blame it on bad equipment, so we could win the strike." Four of the men under arrest were formerly employed in shops of the Michigan-Central. They chose the Michigan-Central, they said, after tacit understanding with another ring of "reds" in Michigan where they were to wreck a train on the Michigan-Central, in return for which the others were to wreck a New York Central train.

"We didn't think they'd suspect us if we wrecked a train on another railroad."

Scores of Miners Trapped In Blazing Shaft 4,500 Feet Deep

DRIVE FOR MILLION DOLLARS FOR STATE UNIVERSITY TO BEGIN HERE AT EARLY DATE

Active Campaign Will Start In
October; Formal Announcement
ment Says

CONFIDENCE EXPRESSED AS TO FINAL OUTCOME

Personnel of Local Committee
Made Public By Borden
Burr

Announcement was made here today of the committee which will direct the Million Dollar Campaign of the University of Alabama in Albany.

"The active campaign will start in October and is to go over without delay," said Borden Burr, State Chairman, in announcing the local committee. "We are confident that we can put this campaign across in a short time because of the strong state organization which has already been built up. In every section of the state leading men and women have pledged their active support to the movement, and with this support we are virtually certain of complete success."

The campaign is to raise \$1,000,000 for the purpose of constructing buildings on the campus which have long been needed. Young men and women from all parts of the state have come to the University in such great numbers during recent years the present buildings have been outgrown. The number of students is rapidly increasing and this congested condition threatens efficient instruction. Lack of state appropriation has made it impossible to construct any buildings for academic purposes during the past several years, and unless this condition is immediately corrected the University will be forced to limit its enrollment and shut out many young men and women who have a right to an education.

The personnel of the local committee follows:

John W. Knight, Harry Wyatt, R. W. Cowart, Chas. Eyster, E. F. Baird, W. W. Rahm, C. D. Patterson, Jno. A. Woods, F. Darrow Peables, Roy Wyatt, Carlisle Blackwell, Henry Davis, F. A. Bloodworth.

Traffic On Alton Suspended Today

(By International News Service.)

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 28.—All traffic on the Chicago and Alton railroad to Roodhouse, Ill., where two railroad bridges were bombed yesterday were at a standstill today, operating officials said today.

Mail, consigned to points on the Alton, is being carried by the Chicago Burlington and Quincy railroad and by automobiles.

Police Guarding Prisoner Charged With Attacking 4 Year Old Girl

(International News Service.)

MACON, Ga., August 28.—Strong police guards were maintained around the Bibb County jail here today, as the wife of the prisoner, transferred here of William Hampton Warren F. Parker, is on an extensive tour to relatives and friends here. Mrs. Parker now makes her home with her son, Dr. Frank Parker in the Lone Star state.

One of the little girls, four years of age, who was attacked, while a playmate, has been attacked.

Officers rushed their mob was forming. The said, took place in the Ohio Thursday.

AS, TRUCKS

PRESIDENT BACK ON JOB, MONDAY FACES SERIOUS SITUATION WITHIN FEW DAYS

Executive Returns From Voyage
Down Potomac On
the Mayflower

FORD'S ANNOUNCEMENT STARTLES THE CAPITAL

Spread of the Shopmen's Strike
To Other Unions
Anticipated

(By International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—President Harding returned to the white house from a week-end out on the Mayflower to face a situation in Washington, which is giving indications of a slowing down to paralysis before many days have passed.

Henry Ford's announcement that he will close down his factories on September 16, throwing thousands of men out of work, rather than to submit to "gouging" for coal and necessary materials, startled the capital.

It emphasized, in a positive way, conditions which have been complained of in hundreds of telegrams and letters sent to members of congress from all parts of the country.

Spread of the shopmen's strike, either by authorized, strike, or "suspension of work" in other classes of railroad labor, was freely predicted today in labor circles.

Labor chiefs asserted that their orders to their men, permitting "suspension of work" whenever conditions are held to be prejudicial to life or comfort, still stand and while no sympathetic strike will be tolerated, the union leaders will not attempt to compel men to work under adverse conditions.

The tie up at Roodhouse, Ill., on the Chicago and Alton came within 48 hours after the break up of the peace conferences in New York.

"Railroad executives have decreed that this is to be a fight to the finish," said William R. Johnston, president of the Association of Machinists. "We did not wish for it, but they have decreed it and we have no other course than to accept their challenge. This strike will be more effective three weeks from today than it is now."

The maintenance of way employees have been "restive" ever since the shopmen's strike started, according to union leaders. They are the lowest paid in the railroad industry and it was asserted by union spokesmen that they have been "itching" to make their dissatisfaction felt for some time.

A strike order has been held in abeyance for some weeks in this craft.

The switchmen's union of North America, headed by T. Z. Cashen, is also nervous, according to railroad officials.

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CAN THESE MEN SAVE IRELAND



George Gavan Duffy, Foreign Minister in Michael Collins' Cabinet; Richard J. Mulcahy, romantic boy Defense Minister, and William T. Cosgrave, Home Minister, have been selected as a triumvirate to attempt to save Ireland, following Collins' assassination. It is believed Duffy will shape the political policies, Mulcahy the military policies and Cosgrave the administrative policies of Irish Free State. General Owen Duffy, Commander of the Southwestern Division and principal aide to General Richard Mulcahy, it is thought, will be selected to succeed Collins as Commander-in-Chief of the Free State Army.

Rev. R. F. Stuckey Preaches to Large Congregation at the First Baptist

"The Gospel," was the sermon subject of Rev. R. F. Stuckey, when last night he preached to a packed house at the First Baptist church of Albany. Besides his own congregation the popular pastor had a number of hearers from Decatur and other parts of the Twin Cities. The remark was current after the services that such large crowds could mean nothing else but larger accommodations. After the usual song and prayer services, Rev. Stuckey explained the different connections and frequent uses of the word "gospel" in different parts of the Bible. It was explained that the word meant "good news" in the highest sense of the term.

Divided Into Two Parts
The speaker divided his sermon into two divisions—first good news as regards God, and second good news as regards men.

The attributes of God—Justice, Goodness, Wisdom, Power, Holiness and Truth were explained, and the speaker said the fact God had such characteristics, was good news to men, because it insured a "square deal" in the judgment, and eternal peace and love beyond the grave.

The good news concerning man, according to Rev. Stuckey was that man can be remade, provided he is willing to be. It was shown that mankind was at his best when dependent, and this was illustrated by the Prodigal son—who when he found his own strength gone, "came to himself."

Definition of Prayer Given By Pastor Kerr In Address To Sunday School

"Prayer is the offering up of our desires unto God, for things in accordance with His will, in the name of Christ, with acknowledgement of our sins and with thankfulness for His mercies." This definition of prayer was given prominently by Rev. R. T. Kerr, pastor of Associated Reformed Presbyterian church of South Albany, which he preached on the International Sunday school lesson yesterday morning. In the first Chapter of Nehemiah, beginning with the 5th verse the preacher read in part: "I beseech thee, O Lord God of Heaven, the great and terrible God, that keepeth mercy for them that love thy commandments." His commandments were the prayer of the people.

THE LOVE THAT SAVES
God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.—John 3: 16.

Real Plutocrat.
Plutocrat—a man wealthy enough to pay both his fine and his lawyer.—Nashville Tennessean.

ARGONAUT MINE IS SCENE OF FIRE AND NIGHT CREW HELD BENEATH SURFACE

Little Hope Held For Safety of
Men By Experienced
Miners

THREE FIGHT THEIR WAY TO FLAMES TO THE TOP

One Hope Is By Cutting Away
Bulkhead From Parallel
Mine

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Seventy-five, comprising the entire night force of the Argonaut mine, in Jackson Amador County, were entombed in the mine today, as a result of a fire which broke out at midnight, according to reports to the state bureau of mines.

(By International News Service.)

JACKSON, Cal., Aug. 28.—Forty-five miners are trapped 4,500 feet below the surface of the earth, in the Argonaut mine, where a terrific blaze is burning at the 3,000 foot level.

Little hope is held out for the safety of the trapped miners. Three men came through the flames to safety, but the fire has cut off the others beyond hope of early rescue.

The fire was discovered shortly after midnight when Clarence Brandshaw and two others miners left their companions on the 4,500 foot level and started for the surface. When they reached the 3,000 level, they found it blazing. They made a mad dash through the flames and arrived safely.

All available help from surrounding mines has been obtained, but little can be done in the way of combating the flames, which may burn fiercely for days.

The one hope of getting the trapped miners out alive is through the Kennedy mine, which runs parallel to the inclined shaft of the Argonaut.

There is a bulkhead separating the two mines. This must be blown out and no man knows what will be encountered beyond the bulkhead. However the entrapped miners may not live to be rescued in this fashion.

In fact, experienced miners today held grave fears that they will be dead.

The Argonaut and the Kennedy mines are two of the largest and most valuable gold mines in the state of California. Each mine turns out something like a million dollars worth of gold ore per year.

Mining men fear that even though the entrapped men now are alive, efforts to rescue them, may cause their death. If the air currents are wrong, the blowing of the bulkhead of the Kennedy mine will, in all probability, drive the deadly fumes to the point where the men have sought safety.

Both the Argonaut and Kennedy mines have been the scenes of bad blazes during the past year but in each instance there has been no loss of life, although heavy damage to the mines resulted.

WEATHER

For Alabama: Fair tonight and Tuesday; moderate temperature.
For the South Atlantic and East Gulf States: Generally fair weather is likely to prevail with moderate temperatures, with probability of rains by the middle of the week. There are indications this morning of a disturbance over the Caribbean Sea west of Jamaica; it will probably move northwest.

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WE FAVOR ACCEPTANCE OF HENRY FORD'S BID FOR MUSCLE SHOALS.

AN APPEAL TO REASON

REGARDING WHISKEY AND CRIME

In the face of the propaganda that there is more whiskey consumed now than ever, and that it is easier to secure now than ever, it is objected—how can the little hidden stills and the little home brew contraptions, turn out as much beer for instance, as the 1300 breweries used to do? Does any sane person believe as much spirits is smuggled in from Mexico and Canada, as used to be sent broadcast throughout the land on the hundreds of railroads and in the thousands of beer and whiskey carriers? Does any body believe the automobile trade in liquors equals what it was prior to the passage of the 18th amendment?

Since it is so easy to get whiskey now, and in such large quantities why all this hue and cry about wanting the repeal of the prohibition laws? Can it be possible that there is an easier way now to secure a drink, than it was when all you had to do was to turn into a saloon and get a poison drink? It was to be as easy to get a drink, as it now is to buy a dish of ice cream—if it is now easier to get liquor than a drink of soda water, what kick have the whiskey people got? If it is a fact that whiskey is so easily secured, and that it sells at such a high price, certainly the sellers of strong drink have nothing to grieve about. There are many violations of the prohibition laws; but would there not be more violence against humanity, if there were no laws against the manufacture and sale of whiskey? No law is obeyed 100 percent. Many automobiles are stolen and it is said only one in ten is recovered, therefore, should we repeal the law against stealing autos. There are many of unhappy marriages, but should the marriage laws be repealed. It is said that 500,000 people break the law every year in this country—but shall all laws be repealed. Granting there is much room for improvement in the prevention of crime and in the enforcement of the prohibition

law, before we vote to abandon prohibition the following ten benefits claimed for the "dry" movement should be carefully considered.

"1. The liquor traffic, which was formerly legalized and protected as a legitimate industry, is diametrically reversed, and that of itself is a gain of great importance and significance.

"2. The distillery, the brewery, the winery and the open saloon have disappeared. Treating has virtually ceased, drunkenness has decreased so that an intoxicated man is rarely seen.

"3. Jails, workhouses, prisons and homes for inebriates have diminished in number because the necessary for them has decreased.

"4. Prohibition has made labor more efficient, reliable and thrifty.

"5. According to life insurance companies, the average of life has lengthened, and infant mortality especially has decreased.

"6. The need of public charity, especially for women and children, has greatly diminished, while domestic concord and welfare have increased. Bank savings have increased in number and size, with the result that, in spite of the wave of unemployment, it, there is comparatively little suffering.

"7. Whatever the attitude of the adult population, which is increasingly favorable, a generation is being reared without the taste for liquor or the taint of alcohol in the blood.

"8. The federal prohibition commissioner is quoted as saying that the liquor imported is less than one-half of one per cent of that consumed under license, that the number of regular drinkers has been reduced from 20,000,000 to 2,500,000 and that arrests for drunkenness under prohibition have decreased 60 per cent.

"9. The number of "moonshiners", "home brewers" and "bootleggers" is negligible as compared with the 600 distillers, 1,300 brewers and 177,000 saloonkeepers who formerly flourished and fattened on the weakness of man and the suffering of women and children.

"10. There is a widening and deepening conviction that prohibition is beneficial morally, socially, industrially, financially, and a growing determination to make it permanent."

REFLECTIONS ON THE ASSASSINATION OF MICHAEL COLLINS

Michael Collins, the Irish patriot is dead at the hands of an assassin of his own race. It may be that in his death this foremost Irish leader of his time was mightier than in life. But this is not to be taken to mean that Collins did not live mightily. As long as he lived this martyr gave his entire strength to the cause of freedom for Ireland. He was a fighter against British rule before De Valera, "the President of the Irish Republic" was ever heard of. And Collins was found in the thick of the fight while his more eloquent compatriot has never been known to have engaged in a single battle. Collins went about his tasks well knowing that what he put out of life could never measure up to the sacrifices he would have to make. And he died as he had lived. It is often said that the blood of the martyrs is the seed of the church. The same may be said as to a country. The men who die for their country are the men who give it re-birth. Michael Collins, may have some more for Ireland, to have died as he did than if he had lived to a ripe old age. And if he had lived for the sake of fame, he died at a most opportune time, for fame is kind to those who fall, in the full discharge of their duty. He lived to see Ireland "take her place among the nations of the world."

He was cut down amid the time of his greatest activities. Had he lived out the scripture allotment of "three score years and ten," like many another prominent man, it might have been said of him as it has been of them "he out-lived his usefulness." Mr. Collins' last words were "Forgive them"—so he died at peace with all the world. In his peaceful death, he, doubtless did more to bring peace to warring factions in Ireland, than if he had been forced to battle on for tranquility for always peaceful victories are more enduring than

those achieved as the sword point. It is fair to say that the last words of Collins, represented his whole life attitude, and if they did, he must go down in history as one of the world's really great men. He made as noble a request when dying, who asked God's forgiveness for those who had sought to put Him to shame. Collins prayed the same prayer as did St. Stephen, who when he was being stoned to death lifted up his eyes to heaven and said "Father forgive them, for they know not what they do." The causes that led to the murder of Collins, are the same in kind as have always led to death and assassination. He died as he did, because he was what he was. Those who conspired against his life, did so because they were what they were. And the times in which this hero and his murderer, lived contributed to make them both what they were. Because Collins had a true conception of life, the terrible times in which he lived, only served to kindle and renew a right spirit within him. Because that assassin of Collins, was bad and continually bad, his character was made more desperate and more cowardly the longer he lived. Revolution brought the two men into their own, and now each must go away to his reward.

HOW DO YOU LIKE YOUR FACTS?

We concede that it is a pretty difficult matter or the average man or woman to differentiate between news and propaganda these days. It is difficult for news and propaganda these days. It is difficult for newspapermen to do it, and only the trained, experienced newspaperman with an inbred regard for truth and well-balanced head on his shoulders makes a success of it.

These are trying days in the offices of the daily newspapers. There is much unrest abroad. The newspaper may add to this unrest by its treatment of the news of the day. The newspaper must be its own judge of what news is of the first importance, it has wide latitude. Its treatment of the matter is limited only by the degree of conservatism that prevails in the individual office.

There has been a tendency in the late weeks of the rail and coal strikes to overplay the minor details of these disturbances.

The statement of some heretofore unheard of labor leader is interpreted as the opening gun in an industrial warfare. The vivid imagination of a headwriter pictures labor and capital in a death struggle.

A bunch of firecrackers touched off while a thunder storm is in progress gives rise to the report that a roundhouse and a hotel have been bombed, and the insinuation is that it was the work of strikers or their sympathizers. The versatile headwriter again has an excuse for a display of his genius, which blossoms forth in an eight-column accusation of wide-spread violence.

This sort of thing is "nufs" for the extremists on the capitalistic side.

A miner is evicted from a house that he does not own and for which he refuses to pay rent. A philanthropist sends a check to the strike fund of the shopmen in order that women and children may be fed.

These are the keys for the playing-up of the "oppressive" side of the strikes. Thus is sympathy for the strikers moulded. The appeal to the heart is greater than the appeal of the head.

That is "meat" for the labor leader who is striving to keep his lines intact. It helps to bolster up the wavering courage of men who want bread for their families.

But how does the general public regard this sort of thing?

Do they approve of the emphasis on the minor details of a controversy or do they want the plain, unvarnished facts?

Do they want the "news" interpreted for them by a propagandist for either side, or do they prefer to interpret it for themselves?

These questions are put in good faith. They are both fair and timely.

Readers of newspapers are entitled to fair treatment and both sides of the strikes are entitled to equal representation, without coloring.

The Tennessean may be rather old-fashioned in its regard for the ethics of the profession, but it cannot but regard with disfavor the tendency so prevalent to exaggerate and exploit petty details at the expense of truth.—Nashville Tennessean.

A WOMAN INDIAN CHIEF

When a few days ago Mrs. Alice F. Davis, of Wewoka, Okla., was inaugurated as chief of the Seminoles the tribe passed over all precedents in tribal laws and custom. She became, an Oklahoma authority says, "the first woman chief who ever occupied that office in the history of the North American Indians." No Indian ceremony, it is declared, was ever more elaborate or more impressive than that celebrating the bestowal of this honor on a woman. Tribal leaders from all parts of the southwest, Indian warriors and white men had fought against them in Indian wars were among the attendants, and the tribe, one of the richest of the Five rites in strict accordance with ancient traditions.

Mrs. Davis has spent much of her life among the Seminoles. She was born near Tahlequah, the old capital of the Indian Territory; her father was for years a physician among the Indians, and her late Gov. John F. Brown, served the

tribe as chief for 30 years. She is to represent the Seminoles in winding up their tribal affairs, and she may thus be the last chief of this great tribe.

The Seminoles wish it to be understood that Mrs. Davis became their chief not because of her hereditary privileges as a member of the tiger clan from which chiefs have always been chosen nor because of her relationship to Governor Brown. She was selected solely upon her ability to rule and her superior qualifications as a leader. In other words, she was chosen the head of the tribe despite the fact that she was a woman. In view of this recognition of feminine ability it would seem either the Seminoles were late in choosing a woman as their chief or that their woman were backward in asserting their rights.

The statement that Mrs. Davis is the first woman chief in the history of the North American Indian may be questioned. Indian traditions, at least, refer to several women leaders. The Troquois have a legend of a virgin queen whose reign, while one of severity, was marked by conquests and progress; the Sioux tell of a maiden in white who came out of the north and led them so successfully in war that she was placed over the head of every other chief, and Spanish explorers mention Indian women who ruled wisely in Mexico and Central America. Who knows but that somewhere in the past there may not have been among the Indians a Queen Elizabeth, an Empress Catherine of a dominant Semiramis? Perhaps if one of these had lived and ruled after the white man came the fate of the American Indian might have been different from what it is.—From the New York Herald.

There is scarcely any one who will not admit a weakness when it comes to being allowed to gather up the eggs, be they from a small back yard poultry yard, or one where it run on a commercial basis. There is something appealing in the job, and there are few who do not like the time thus employed. To reach into a nice clean nest where are seen several of white fresh yard eggs, is savory of something, and reaches out to the dining table when for breakfast there is served these, guaranteed absolutely fresh.

No substitute of chemical research has ever approached in any degree of comparison, with a natural hen egg. Its opponent parts are all food of the best variety, and being susceptible of so many ways of serving, makes them the premier of table dishes. Ham and eggs will always go together, and a meal can be prepared on such short notice of these two toothsome dishes, that will make even a stranger bow his thanks out of the dining room.

In the sick room, the egg has a most important part, the white being easily digestible to the most delicate stomach. Away back in the distant past, the egg also played a very important role about Christmas time, but that is now another story. The American hen has risen gradually in the scale of commercial prestige, so much so in fact, that she is now a legal tender wherever exhibited, and is shipped in car load lots to many of the markets of the country.

With the erection of commodious school houses over the county, mainly due to the attitude of the citizenship of the various school districts in voting on themselves increased taxation, that their children may have the benefit of modern schools, is an omen of great significance. It indicates that the custodians of the youth of the land are determined that there shall be no pains spared to give to their children, and the children of others, the best possible advantages during the formative period of their young lives.

Many who have thus helped to make these things possible realize, that in this age of the world, when the competition among the different professions is so marked, that to be able to cope with and be equipped for this competition, there must be a preparation along the most modern and progressive lines, the foundation for it being laid under the direction of the best and most proficient tutelage.

Those who failed to get such an education themselves, now realize the great importance that their children shall be equipped and have the advantage of it, and to this end are bending all the energies combined with their means to hasten the realization of such a condition.

The state is entering upon a great era of prosperity. The lines are laid along the most progressive way, and there is every reason that the old state will progress to a point not experienced during the past few years.

There has been many disturbing elements in the state government having the tendency to disrupt the public mind. Under the new state government which will soon be ushered in, there is a pledge to do away with these things. Certain it is that state tax matters have played no little part in causing this disturbance, and whether right or wrong, it was most unpopular to say, the least of it. The least governed people it is said, are the best governed. If this is true, then the argument would be for few laws and these faithfully executed.

The next governor will go to office unfettered and untied, with a free hand to govern a great state where a people have so overwhelmingly spoken so emphatically at the polls for his election.

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.			
Club	Won	Lost	
Mobile	83	51	
Memphis	83	49	
New Orleans	75	58	
Little Rock	74	61	
Birmingham	66	67	
Atlanta	51	80	
Chattanooga	32	84	
Nashville	51	83	

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Club	Won	Lost	
New York	73	50	
St. Louis	73	51	
Detroit	68	57	
Cleveland	63	61	
Chicago	59	62	
Washington	58	65	
Philadelphia	49	69	
Boston	46	74	

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Club	Won	Lost	
New York	74	46	
St. Louis	67	53	
Chicago	68	54	
Cincinnati	68	56	
Pittsburgh	65	55	
Brooklyn	58	61	
Philadelphia	42	72	
Boston	38	80	

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Southern League.
Little Rock at Nashville.
Birmingham at Atlanta.
Memphis at Chattanooga.
New Orleans at Mobile.

American League.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
(Only three games scheduled.)

National League.
Boston at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
(Only two games scheduled.)

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Southern League
Chattanooga 4, Nashville 0.
New Orleans 2, Mobile 1.
Memphis 4-3, Little Rock 2-0.
(Only three games played.)

American League
Washington 7, Detroit 2.
St. Louis-New York. (Rain.)
(Only two games scheduled.)

National League.
New York 12, St. Louis 8.
Cincinnati 9-7, Boston 0-6.
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 1.
(Only three games played.)

Democrats Plan General Campaign

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 27.—Although Alabama always votes Democratic ticket in the general election, the Democratic party make a general campaign especially in the congressional districts counties where the Republican is appreciable.

James H. Webb, chairman of state Democratic executive committee, today announced the appointment of a state campaign committee with A. G. Patterson, president of public service commission, as chairman. Associated with Mr. Patterson will be R. L. Barnes of Albert John R. T. Rives of Birmingham W. Pettus of Selma and Judge Sallie of Ozark. Mr. Patterson called a meeting of the campaign committee for 10 o'clock the morning of September 8 in the senate chamber at the capitol. At this time the committee will make plans for the campaign.

MRS. CLARK DIES
Albany friends of Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Clark, formerly of Albany, will learn with sorrow of the death of Mrs. Clark in Atlanta on August 17. Mrs. Clark was Miss Willie Beelle Ashby Huntsville, and was widely known here.

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The Roman catacombs are 580 miles in extent, and it is estimated that some 15,000,000 dead are interred there.
The harp is believed to have originated from the hunting bow, the tightly-stretched string of which will emit a musical note.
Punch, as the name of a beverage, is derived from the Hindi word "panch," meaning five, there being originally five essential ingredients in the mixture.
There have been over one thousand different varieties of potatoes, but only a few of these are worth cultivating.
Women in China never kiss, and when a Chinese woman wishes to show her affection she gently touches the hand of her beloved.
In the 16th century it was customary to put on one side of the blades of table knives the musical notes of the benediction or grace before meat, and on the other side the graces after meat.



Betty Compson
in the Paramount Picture
"The Law and the Woman"
PRINCESS TUESDAY

PREPARING FOR THE COLD DAYS COMING

The few cool nights of the last few days have emphasized in a most impressive way, that the time when "the frost is on the pumpkin" is not very far away. The nights have been delightfully cool, enough so in fact to bring blankets from their hiding places. The wise weather vane are predicting an early and a severe winter. Barring a few extremely hot days during June and July, there has been no great amount of discomfort experienced in the Tennessee Valley. With winter weather soon to be upon us, and the fact that the idea was held out that it would probably be very hard to get coal when needed, a great majority of the people have made their provision in this line for the coming season, and await the coming with a marked degree of preparedness.

SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. J. J. Solomon entertained at her home at 309 Line Street on Saturday afternoon from 4 to 6 p. m. in honor of the fifth anniversary of their laughter, Ruby. She was assisted in entertaining by her sister, Miss Wilmer Renegar, and Miss Margaret Strain, and Mesdames Hugh Sutton, Henry Buschke, L. A. Strain and Smith.

After a delightful afternoon spent playing on the lawn, ice cream and candies were served to the following who were present, Lela Murray Carter, Ruth Chandler, Julia Chandler, Oris and Josephine Minehart, Julie Hildreth, Nell Beach Dix, Margaret King, Margaret and Marjory Gusehke, Jack Carter, Noel Carpenter, Jack Garnett, Ned Frazier, Jack Smith, Milton Sutton, Catline Hanson, and L. A. Strain, Jr.

An affair much enjoyed by the participants was the all day outing at Beaver Lake given for Miss Annie Marie Hanley of Nashville, the attractive guest of Miss Sophia Walk. Leaving early in the morning with filled lunch hampers a truck load of picnickers crossed the river, returning at dusk. In the party were Misses Annie Marie Hanley, Mildred McEl-derry, Florence Warr, Sophia Walk, Messrs. Jesse Self, William Walk, Alva Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Walk and sons, Charles and Walter Richards, and Mrs. F. C. Walk.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Cooper of Birmingham were the Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McCleskey and left Sunday for Chattanooga.

Mrs. Loula Wade and daughter, Miss Lurline Wade, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winton have returned to Somerville.

Miss Beulah Lancaster and nephew Leo Lancaster have returned to their home in Nashville, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. T. J. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter of Prospect is the guest of their son, Almus Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Goode and baby visited in Tanner on Sunday.

Miss Frances Nino Greene, of Montgomery, is the guest of Mrs. E. A. Tillery.

Mrs. C. T. Happer is ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ashford in Courtland.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee returned Saturday from Vinemont, Ala.

Mrs. Bingham arrived Saturday afternoon from Montgomery to be the guest of her son, M. S. Bingham and Mrs. Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sheffield and sons, Mallon and Harold, arrived here in their car Saturday afternoon to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sheffield and Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee.

Miss Lena Daugherty of Valdosta, Ga., was the guest of Mrs. S. A. Lynn for several days last week.

The Tuesday evening Rook Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Callahan tomorrow night.

Miss Hazel Wells, of Tusculumbia, Ala., is visiting Mrs. G. D. Williamson.

Mrs. J. P. Melvin will be hostess at the meeting of the Wednesday Club this week, at her home on Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McGehee will return home today from Vinemont.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Martin have returned to their home in Americus, Ga., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Martin.

Mrs. A. T. Coke and daughters, Virginia and Sarah returned yesterday to their home in Clarksburg, Tenn. after spending the past month with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Nelson.

Mrs. H. M. Odom was operated on at a Birmingham Hospital last week for appendicitis and is reported doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. W. T. Lowe returned last night from a few days stay at Vinemont.

Mrs. Raymond Brown left Saturday for a visit to Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. C. L. Saunders and Mrs. John W. Jones returned today from a several days visit to Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Blackwell, of Florence, spent the week-end with friends in the Twin Cities.

Miss Margaret Speake will leave this afternoon to visit her cousins, Misses Majory and Dorothy Speake in Huntsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Speake will leave Tuesday for their home in Charlotte, N. C., after visiting their mother, Mrs. D. W. Speake on Ferry street.

H. E. Adams, wife and baby after spending a week with relatives at Shelbyville, Tenn., arrived home Saturday. Mr. Adams was at Shelbyville during the holding of the county fair and states that the largest attendance on record were present at this fair at this time.

Mrs. R. G. Plemmons and children have returned from Valtierosa Springs, where she visited her mother, Mrs. W. R. Johnson.

Miss Catherine and Louise Johnson of Lacey's Springs are visiting Misses Opal and Lois Plemmons.

For her guests, Misses Merle Freeman, Lizzie Reed Penn, Ruth Sharp-ley and Wilma Kent of Hartselle, Miss Imogene Winton entertained with a camp breakfast Saturday morning.

Twenty guests met at the home of Miss Winton and motored to Pennell Springs where a delicious report was enjoyed. The young people were chaperoned by Mrs. J. T. Lovin, Mrs. Jesse Mainard and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winton.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Clark, of Atlanta (formerly of Albany) twins, a son and daughter July 27.

Protested Game To Be Re-played

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Manager Miller Huggins and four members of the New York Americans and three players of the Chicago Americans were fined by President Ban Johnson today in connection with a protested game here August 1, for what Johnson termed "disgraceful exhibition of stalling". The game will be played over.

MEET TONIGHT

Albany Lodge No. 491, A. F. & A. M. will meet tonight at 7 o'clock for work in M. M. degree. All master Masons cordially invited. Ed. R. ADCOCK, W. M.

—Advertisement.

FEMINISMS

By Annette Bradshaw



WHEN A SAMPLE IS SORELY NEEDED

MISS SWEET (very sweetly)—You haven't a Parisian onion and never heard of the variety? How distressing! Why, I must get one, because onion peel is the shade in evening hose and I've got to have a sample!

PERSONALS

Pryor Rice of Somerville, is visiting in the Twin Cities today.

J. B. Leeman of Hartselle was here on business today.

Tom Payne of Hartselle was a visitor today.

Dr. Emmett Jones and children, of Maryland, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Tillery last week, making his trip here by motor.

J. P. Melvin arrived Saturday night from Albertville and will be stationed here as engineer of the Highway construction work.

Sam Phillips, of Athens, was called to Fairview last night by the serious illness of his brother, B. P. Phillips.

Dorothy Whaley is doing nicely following the removal of her tonsils and adenoids at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Whaley.

Louis Henkel, of Pittsburg, Pa., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. M. Henkel.

Chemical Plant In Nashville Burned

(By Associated Press.)
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 28.—The acid house and two million pounds of sulphuric acid of the Federal Chemical company were burned here today with a loss estimated at a million and a half.

REQUEST GRANTED

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Cotton gins and cotton seed oil mills have been placed on the priority list for coal as a result of the request of the public service commission to the interstate commerce commission. A. G. Patterson, president of the commission, late yesterday announced that the approval of the commission's proposal had been received from Washington.

NOTICE

Do you want to know who it was that was dreaming about the church five hundred years before it existed? Come to the Y. M. C. A. lawn tonight at 7:45.

H. L. KIRBY.
—Advertisement A28-1t

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL BONDS

Notice is hereby given that the City of Albany, Alabama, has sold to the Union Trust Company of East St. Louis, Illinois Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars par value, five and one half percent school bonds, dated July 1st, 1922, and maturing July 1st, 1952, at a price of Nine Hundred Eight (\$908.30) Dollars and thirty cents for each One Thousand Dollars of bonds and accrued interest to date of delivery subject to the approval of legality by their attorneys. The interest on said bonds is payable semi-annually.

E. C. PAYNE, Mayor,
HENRY HARTUNG, City Clerk
A-21-28.

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in
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Tennessee Valley Bank, Decatur, Ala.

Morgan County National Bank,
Albany, Ala.

City National Bank, Decatur, Ala.

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AN ANNOUNCEMENT

TO OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS:

On and after September 1, 1922, it will be necessary for us to place our business on a strictly cash basis.. This step has been considered carefully and much as we regret to take it, we have been convinced that it is absolutely necessary if we are to continue in business...

Business conditions are unsettled and it has become increasingly difficult for us to obtain funds with which to meet our obligations. For this reason we will be compelled to sell all merchandise for cash only, to every one.

Since we began business in Albany our business has expanded rapidly.. That could not have been possible had we not rendered to the local public a real service. We have endeavored at all times to carry only high grade drug and sundry products and to retail them only at reasonable prices, leaving a justifiable profit for ourselves and treating the customer fairly. As long as we remain in business that policy will remain unchanged.

We appreciate the past patronage of the public and respectfully solicit a continuance on the basis of a fair and square deal for all. We believe you will find, as others have, that "it pays to pay cash."

Yours Very Truly,

ALBANY DRUG COMP'Y

T. A. Caddell, Manager.

List of Deaths

Made Public By Health Bureau

The following list of deaths in Morgan county for the month of May was made public today by the state health department:

Robinson, Evelyn.
Roger, William.
Crawford, Caroline, Mrs.
Jones, Lillie.
Owens, Fredie.
Drain, P. H.—Infant of.
Sandlin, Francis.
Putman, J. F.—Infant of.
Hood, Freeman.
Luker, Nettie.
Weather, Jeff—Infant of (S. B.)
Thompson, James K.
Garth, Morgan—Infant of.
Harlin, Will.
Greenbow, Robert A.
Briscoe, Nancy A.
Childers, Georgia Ann.
Hamilton, Virginia.
Brayelton, Ernest L.
Dimestars, John.
Putman, Warren Martin.
Yarborough, Robert Clay.
Fairbanks, Will—Infant of (S. B.)
Holt, Willie Pearl, Mrs.
Pucket, Dorris E.
Bryant, Elberta, Mrs.
Hanes, Elizabeth M.
Marsh, Nina C.
Swanson, Carl E., Jr.
Hardage, Isabella, Mrs.
McGan, Jack B.
Tucker, Richard Allen.

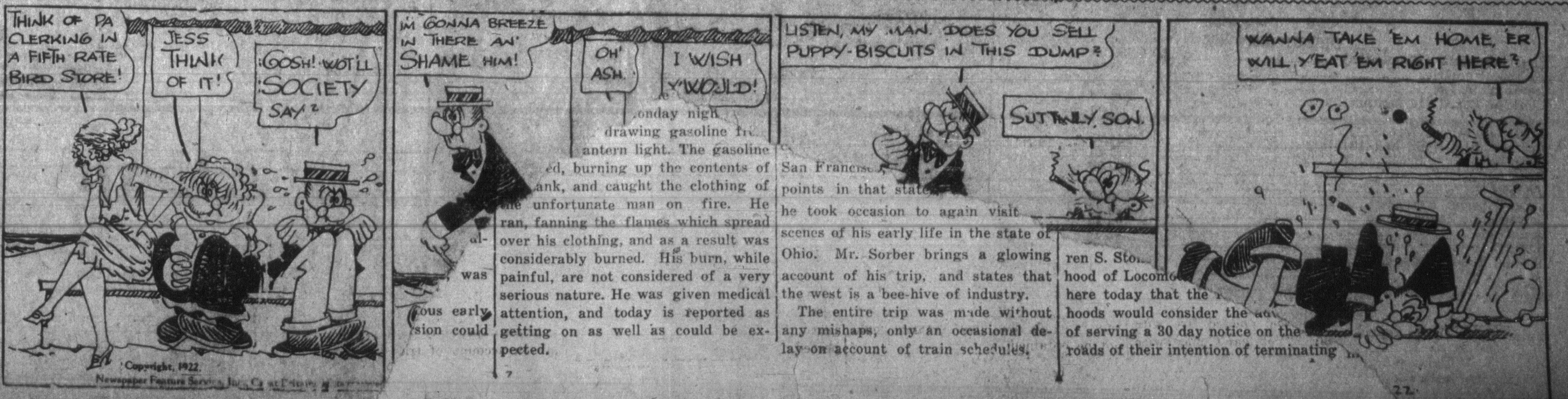
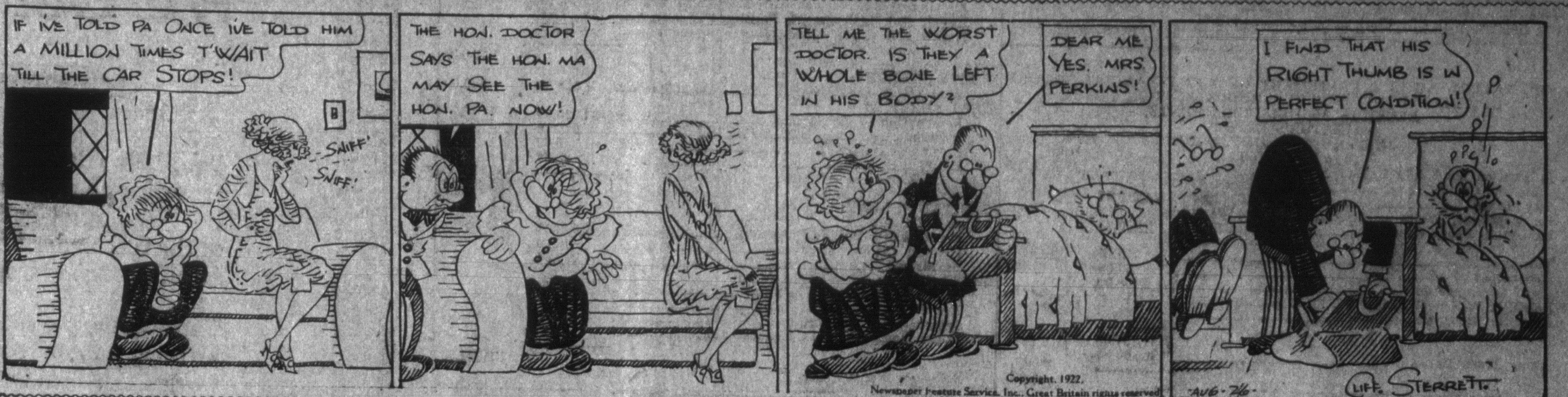
MRS. EDMUNDSON IS HONORED BY FARMERS

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 26.—Dr. J. B. Vines, of Bessemer, was elected president of the Alabama division of the National Farmers' Union for the ensuing year at the closing session of the annual meeting yesterday. Other officers elected are J. E. Pool of Fort Payne, vice-president, Mrs. E. A. Painter of Birmingham, secretary-treasurer.

Executive committee: Mrs. Leila Edmundson, Decatur; Mrs. G. H. Mathis, Gadsden; George T. McElderry, Talladega; O. B. Baines, Guntersville; Louis M. Thompson, Altoona. State lecturers and organizers for the ensuing year are: W. A. Morris, Sulligent; J. P. Scofield of Jasper and O. P. Ford of McFall.

POLLY AND HER PAL'S

By Cliff Sterrett



REHEARING GRANTED FOR JIM READER

After hearing motions given by the attorneys for James Reader, seeking to set aside the verdict of a jury who rendered their decision last Tuesday morning, giving the defendant a life term in the penitentiary for the alleged murder of an infant child of Emma Johnson, Judge O. Kyle rendered a decision setting aside the verdict on showing made by defendant's attorneys on the grounds of insufficient specification in the indictment.

The indictment was worded, "for the murder of the infant female child of Emma Johnson". The law holds that more specific words must be contained in an indictment of this character, and if name is unknown to jury it must so specify in the indictment according to attorneys.

The case was argued before Judge Kyle at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, the judge reserving his decision until 2 p. m., at which time court was reconvened and the decision rendered in favor of the defendant.

Under the law the defendant must again be reindicted and a new trial had. The defendant is still in jail, and it is not at this time known whether an effort may be made by his attorneys to get him out on bond or not.

Gold Threads Are Superior.
Threads of gold used in India for making lace are drawn out so fine that 1,100 yards of it only weigh one ounce.

Attack on Manly Beauty.
As a general thing nothing improves a man's looks as much as a shave as less it's a man. (Chicago News.)

Sunburnt in, perhaps.
Chicago Ad-Lost: Pursue by a widow with initials on back. (Boston Transcript.)

MURDER CUT SHORT COLLINS'S ROMANCE



Michael Collins and Miss Kittie Kiernan.

While he was "on the run" for six years as Commander-in-Chief of the Irish Army, with a huge price on his head, Michael Collins wooed and won the beautiful Miss Kittie Kiernan, of Granard, County Longford, who was irresistibly attracted by the dashing young soldier. The romance was not destroyed until, in a personal and scathing attack upon Collins in *Dail Eireann* Countess Markiewicz declared that for having signed the peace treaty with England, Collins ought to marry Princess Mary.

In a beautiful answer, Collins declared the Countess was bringing pain to his fiancée—and the secret was out. The marriage was to have taken place as soon as Collins brought peace to "this most distressful land." But the wedding will never take place, for Collins is dead at the hands of assassins, and Miss Kiernan is left to mourn.

Interrupted Quest.
"De reason some folks can't find work," says Uncle Eben, "is dat dey'd have to pass too many crap games on de way to look for it."

Saved After Long Immersion.
People have been resuscitated after being under water as long as 40 minutes.

A Diplomat is a man who, when he arrives home late, gets into bed backwards so that if his wife wakes he can say he is just getting up.—London Opinion.

An Important "If."
We would all be great if we were measured by the things we intend to do tomorrow.

The Definition of Prayer Is Given By Pastor Kerr

(Continued from page 1.)

Jacob leaning on his staff in prayer; but nowhere have I seen where people sat bolt upright and offered prayer." In this connection the practice of worshippers gazing around over the congregation or out of the windows was condemned. It was cautioned that the infinite all powerful nature of God, should never be forgotten in prayer, and a too familiar approach to God was condemned. It was declared that "unselfishness" was the very essence of true petitions to God "not our will but His be done". A story was told from Rev. J. H. Jewett, who said a little girl taught him to pray for the police, a thing Jewett said he had not thought to do for twenty years. The unconcerned attitude of many would-be petitioners was condemned, and the preacher spoke forcefully of the vast number who were without a saving knowledge of God. As an example of the need of earnestness in prayer, the example of Abraham praying for Sodom was cited. The importance of the injunction—"pray without ceasing" was stressed, and the preacher said that often when his little boy asked for something he did not hear him until he had repeated his request often. It was said that just as children asked definitely for what they needed, so ought the children of God be definite in their requests. The "Lord's Prayer" was repeated in part and the preacher said that God's purposes were put first in that petition, and the petitioners last and that that was the divine order.

Mistaken.

"You didn't open your mouth once during the entire session." "You are quite wrong, my friend, because each time you took the floor I yawned."—Paris Le Journal Amusant.

PAID JILTED FIANCE'S COURTSHIP BILLS



Miss Sheila Terry.

Miss Sheila Terry, an actress, has paid a "courtship bill," presented by Benny Rubin, whom she rejected which covered candy, flowers, etc. She says it is only fair that when a man has courted a girl and taken her to suppers, theaters and done many little things for her, and then the girl marries someone else, the girl should pay him back what he spent if he sends in a bill and wants the cash.

Copy Wanted On the Contest Page

Advertisers on the missing word contest page, desiring a change for this week, will please send in their copy as early as possible. The Daily will be glad to change the copy, if a new copy is provided at once.

RECORD RUN MADE

The Albany fire truck Saturday afternoon made a record run to the home of J. E. Yarbrough, 12th Avenue, W., making the distance from the fire hall to the home in 3 minutes after the alarm was sounded. The home suffered small damage.

SUNDAY DINNER

The reopening of the Lyons Hotel dining room last evening was an occasion on which the patrons of the popular hostelry were served a dinner, that was excellent in service, and superb in preparation. The dining room has been decorated, presenting a fresh and attractive aspect.

MAYFIELD DEFEATS JAMES FERGUSON

(By International News Service.)
DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 28.—Although late returns slightly reduced his lead, figures compiled up to eight o'clock this morning indicated certain victory for Earl Mayfield, reputed Ku Klux Klan candidate, for United States senator. Mayfield's opponent in Saturday's primary election was James E. Ferguson, advocate of light wine and beer. The vote so far tabulated by the Texas election bureau showed that 215 counties, including 49 complete, out of a total of 244 in the state, gave Mayfield 283,043 against 222,032 for Ferguson, a majority of 59,999.

Alabama Leads In Potato Shipment

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 28.—Alabama has led all southern states in the shipment of sweet potatoes this season, according to the weekly summary of market conditions issued today by F. O. Hooton, supervisor of the markets division. Up to this week the total number of cars shipped was 332. Because of unsatisfactory prices the total movement from Alabama this year probably will be below that of last year. The price for No. 1 stock has ranged from \$1 to \$1.50 a bushel in central markets.

The movement of watermelons in Alabama is now confined to the middle and eastern sections. The season will be practically over by September 15. Only large melons have brought a good profit this season. In some cases small melons have not brought the cost of handling and hauling.

Life As I See It.
Man is just a handful of mud, but a good woman can mold him into something worth while.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

ALBANY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

August 24th, 1922

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE ALBANY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, SESSION 1920-21

Receipts and Disbursements, July 1, 1920--June 30, 1921

RECEIPTS	
State and County Taxes	\$ 20,200.00
City Taxes	\$9,714.72
Less over-deposit by clerk	.90
Incidentals, Current Year	3,267.89
Incidentals, previous year	337.86
Tuition, Current Year	942.50
Tuition, Previous Year	634.50
Laboratory Fees	46.00
Interest Refunded	44.21
Freight Refunded	1.46
Damages to school furniture collected	16.15
Loans from bank	37,650.00
Less loans paid	26,150.00
Total	\$ 46,704.37
Balance on hand July 1, 1920	259.84
Total receipts	\$ 46,964.21

DISBURSEMENTS	
Superintendent	2,500.00
Teacher's salaries	38,360.25
Janitors' wages	2,237.30
Clerk of Board, salary	200.00
Postage, Stationery and Printing	194.90
Fuel	1,596.49
Supplies	647.28
Rent	459.59
Repairs	1.50
Interest on loans	681.87
Miscellaneous Expense	712.22
Equipment	1,285.14
Incidental Fees Refunded	69.62
Balance with City Clerk	\$12.74
Balance with Clerk of Board	5.31
Total	\$ 46,946.16

THE FOLLOWING IS A STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE ALBANY PUBLIC SCHOOLS SESSION 1921-22. RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS, AUDITOR'S REPORT JULY 1, 1921--JUNE 30, 1922.

RECEIPTS	
Balance on hand July 1, 1921	\$ 18.05
State and County Taxes	\$ 28,850.00
City Taxes	15,369.97
Incidental Fees, White	4,734.48
Incidental Fees, Colored	272.25
Tuition	975.00
Laboratory Fees	87.00
City Appropriation	1,400.00
Damages to School Property	14.52
American Book Co., refund	24.46
Total	\$ 51,707.68
Loans from Banks	32,900.00
Total receipts	\$ 84,607.68
Total disbursements	\$ 84,625.73

DISBURSEMENTS	
Superintendent (13 months)	\$ 3,250.00
Teachers' salaries	37,840.63
Janitors' wages	1,756.25
Clerk of Board (14 months)	290.00
City clerk	60.00
Fuel, Lights and Water	1,389.63
Postage, Stationery and Printing	144.95
Supplies	375.48
Rent	550.00
Repairs	657.30
Miscellaneous Expense	346.36
Interest on Loans	920.24
American Book Co.	24.46
Refund Incidental fees	19.85
Refund Tuition Fees	
Equipment	
New Building (Lumber and Material)	

Loans from Banks repaid	
Balance	
Balance with Clerk	
Balance with C	

The following is a detailed statement of the distribution of expenditures by departments for session 1921-22:

GENERAL CONTROL:	
Board of Education:	
Clerk's salary and (two months back pay)	\$ 290.00
School Elections	10.00
City Clerk (H. Hartung)	60.00
Supplies	63.77
Andit and Expense	48.25
Superintendent's office	\$ 462.02
Superintendent's salary and one month's back pay	3,250.00
Supplies	95.07
Expense (Postage, telephone, telegraph, travel)	47.76
Total	\$ 3,392.83

INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICE:	
Teachers' salaries (44 teachers)	\$ 37,840.63
Text Books	48.49
Supplies	120.01
Commencement, Diplomas, etc.,	206.38
Total	\$ 38,215.51

OPERATION:	
Janitors' wage (5 janitors)	\$ 1,756.25
Fuel	1,363.49
Light and Gas	29.82
Janitors' supplies	226.15
Total	\$ 3,375.71

MAINTENANCE:	
Repair of Buildings	91.65
Repair and Replacement of Heating and Plumbing	82.25
Repair and Replacement, Furniture	7.55
Repair and Replacement other equipment	12.95
Total	\$ 194.40

FIXED CHARGES:	
Rent (Back rent \$100.00)	\$ 550.00
Total	\$ 550.00

DEBT SERVICE:	
Redemption of Loans	\$ 34,500.00
Interest	915.02
Revenue	5.62
Refunds	38.85
Total	\$ 35,459.49

CAPITAL OUTLAY:	
New buildings,	
Erection new Building (Annex)	1,082.68
Heating (Stoves, etc.)	76.20
Furniture	787.04
Old buildings:	
Heating, Lighting, Plumbing	161.30
Furniture	25.90
Instructional Apparatus	101.46
Other Equipment	6.45
Total	\$ 2,241.03

AUXILIARY AGENCIES:	
Lecture, Dr. Claxton	17.00
Total	\$ 17.00

TOTAL	
Net Operation Cost 1921-22	\$ 83,907.99
Less, short term loans	34,500.00
Total	\$ 49,407.99

LOANS 1921-22	
Bills payable June 30, 1921	\$ 14,100.00
Borrowed during year	32,900.00
Total Loans	\$ 47,000.00
Loans Paid	7,000.00
Bills	
Total	\$ 40,000.00

MEET TONIGHT
Albany Lodge No. 491, A. F. & A. M. will meet tonight at 7 o'clock for work in M. M. degree. All master Masons cordially invited.
Ed. R. ADcock, W. M.
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BETTER BISCUITS LESS MONEY

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When We Get It
We Get It Out

We realize that it is often necessary for a firm to get printing done quickly. We do not believe that, in case of the rush order it is necessary to sacrifice Good Printing for speed.

Considering the speed on this kind of printing we do the quality of the work is invariably gratifying to our patrons.

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